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1.	PCT/EP99/06564	September 07, 1999	September 16, 1998

TITLE OF INVENTION

Device and Method for Injection-Compression Molding

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. [x] This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. [] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371
- 3. [x]This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
- 4. [x] A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
- 5. [x] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
- .- a. [x] is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b.[] has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US)
- 6: [x]A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
- 7. [x] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. [] are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b.[] have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d.[x]have not been made and will not be made.
- 8. [] A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- 9. [x] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10.[] A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. Below concern other document(s) or information included:

- 11.[x]An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- 12.[x]An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13.[x]A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
 - A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- 14.[] A substitute specification.
- 15.[] A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 16.[x]Other items or information (specify): PCT Publication Sheet, Int'l Preliminary Examination Report, Int'l Search Report, Letter with Proposed Drawing Changes

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PCT/EP99/0656 5029-30PUS 17.[x]The following fees are submitted: Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)): Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO\$860.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482)......\$690.00 No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)).....\$710.00 Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO\$1000.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT = \$ 860.00 \$ Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than [] 20 [] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). Number Filed Number Extra Rate Claims 16 - 20 =x \$18.00 \$ **Total Claims** \$ Independent Claims 2 - 3 =x \$80.00 \$ Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable) + \$270.00 \$ 860.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$ Reduction of ½ for filing by small entity, if applicable. \$ 860.00 SUBTOTAL = Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than [] 20 [] 30 \$ months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). \$ TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = 860.00 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be 40.00 accompanied by the appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED \$900.00 Amount to be refunded: charged: \$ a. [x]Two checks in the amounts of \$ 860 and \$ 40 to cover the above fees are enclosed. b. [] Please charge my Deposit Account No. 03-2412 in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c. [x] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2412. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Thomas C. Pontani Klaus P. Stoffel Cohen, Pontani, Lieberman & Pavane Registration Number: 31,668 551 Fifth Avenue, Suite 1210 Tel: (212) 687-2770

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Sir:

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- [X] The issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at 3 months from mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311 (b) provided the fee has not already been paid by check.
- [X] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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